

Alberta Legislature Will Meet Monday, January 28th, 1924

NEW LEGISLATION IN COMING SESSION IS BEING PREPARED

Edmonton, Jan. 8.—The date for the opening of the Alberta legislature was announced today as Monday, January 28.

Edmonton, Jan. 7.—Four new pieces of legislation have been completed and passed on to the printers in preparation of the coming session of legislature. Others, including the liquor act and the new election act, are in course of drafting. A life insurance act is among the quartet already completed. They will be submitted simultaneously in the other provinces and will be on the basis decided upon at the conference of premiers on uniform insurance legislation some months ago.

Amendments to the university act will provide for the refunding of university bonds. Some \$2,000,000 of debentures will be maturing this year and under the original act there is no provision for refunding, making it therefore necessary to pass amendments to remedy the defect.

Change Accounting System
The treasury act will also be amended to give effect to the changes in the accounting system introduced in the government service at the beginning of the past year. A bill to provide for taking over the Strathcona hospital as an university institution will be submitted.

Domestic Relations Act
In addition to these four completed bills and others previously announced, the government is working on several important acts that it is planning to lay on the table but does not expect to pass at this session. One of these will be an act proposed to cover such points as alimony, custody of infants, separation and the like, with a view to bringing together into one act, and in revised form, all the provincial statutes bearing on questions of this sort. The bill will be introduced, according to Attorney-General Brownlee, and after its first reading will be held over for a year in order to give women's organizations and others interested an opportunity to consider it and to express their views.

A new mechanics lien act will be dealt with, it is expected in the same way as the domestic relations act.

Demands for amendments to the present act have been coming in for some time past and the government has set about a revision of the act to meet these demands and to bring

the legislation to a more fully developed stage. In this case, too, the bill will probably be laid on the table and an opportunity will be given during the ensuing year for representations from all interested in the matter.

New City Act
The government will be ready to pass the new city act, says the attorney-general, if the cities wish it. The draft of the act has been completed, and the cities affected by it will again have an opportunity to consider it. In its general character the revised draft is understood to be more nearly in accordance with the original act prepared a year ago than with the draft recently rejected by the mayors.

WING OF LIBERALS MAY SAVE BALDWIN, KEEPING LABOR OUT

London, Jan. 7.—The lingering rumors of some eleventh hour arrangement whereby the threatened act of the Liberals to help labor into the government may be averted, include one given publicity by the Daily Herald.

This report is vague, but it indicates a belief that a section of the Liberal government may be saved. Editorially, the Herald says: "Whether labor takes the government depends upon the success of this latest angle, which must be taken more seriously than Lord Rothermere's feverish demands that some body should save his millions from the capital levy."

The reference is to the Daily Mail's campaign in favor of a Liberal-Conservative fusion to keep labor out of power.

House Meets Tuesday
Members of parliament are flocking to London today preparatory to the meeting of the house of commons tomorrow.

Among the arrivals are the members of Glasgow's labor contingent, popularly regarded as "the wild men" of the labor movement. They were accorded an enthusiastic public send-off in Glasgow last evening in the course of which many speeches were made. Baillie Dollan, chairman of the group, told the crowd that the new labor members were not going to London with the idea of becoming cabinet ministers, but were rather taking their seats in parliament as missionaries of socialism.

"We are told that the rich people are terrified by the prospects of labor getting into power," he said. "Well may they be terrified—what is the use of labor getting power if the rich are to be pleased? Labor is going in to power to displease the rich and to satisfy the needs of the workers. They are determined that the rich shall work for a living instead of living in sumptuous, luxurious ease."

Defeat Set for Jan. 7.
London, Jan. 7.—The coming week will see the reopening of parliament under the strange and unique circumstances of the date already having been settled upon when the present Baldwin government will suffer defeat and resign in order to make way for Great Britain's first labor government.

This is the plan proclaimed by the government's opponents and since the complete collapse of the recent attempt to engineer a combination of the parties to "keep out labor" there seems no reason why it should not be executed. January 17 is the date fixed for the demise of the government.

Sons of M. P.'s Will Sit
London, Jan. 7.—(Can. Press Cable). Several instances of political attitude descending from father to son will be noticeable in the new parliament which meets tomorrow. Lloyd George has a son in the house of commons now. So has Sir Alfred Mond, minister of health in the Lloyd George coalition government who, however, is not a member of the parliament. Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, the noted labor leader, who was defeated in the recent general elections, has two sons in parliament. Ramsay MacDonald's son ran for parliament in the December elections, but failed. It is likely he will be successful a little later.

Talk of Red Flag
Edinburgh, Jan. 7.—(Can. Press Cable). "Labor government will not tolerate dictation from any party but will retain its independence and tackle its political program with undiminished spirit," declared Wm. Martin, recently elected to the house of commons, in addressing the annual convention of the Scottish independent labor party here on Saturday. Labor was the strongest political party in Scotland, said Mr. Martin, and therefore, if the country had home rule the red flag of the Socialist would already be flying over the Scottish house of parliament.

The conference adopted a resolution demanding relief for the distress prevailing in the west highlands, which a speaker described as "a disgrace to a civilized nation," adding that the people had refused to live on charity. A resolution was also adopted condemning the government's failure to deal with unemployment generally and adding that the government's ostracism of Russia had aggravated the unemployment problem.

CARD OF THANKS
Mr. J. H. Evans and Mabel together with Mrs. E. Davis and family wish to thank many friends for kindly helpfulness in their recent bereavement. Also to express appreciation of many floral tributes to the deceased Mrs. Mary Ellen Evans.

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MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTY—Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by "The Land Titles Act," under a certain Mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale.

There will be offered for sale by public auction at the Post Office in the Town of Macleod, in the Province of Alberta, on Saturday, the 19th day of January, 1924, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, namely:

The North West Quarter of Section 2, Township 9, Range 27, West of the 4th Meridian, reserving unto his Majesty all mines and minerals.

Terms of sale to be ten per cent cash at the time of the sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the Vendor's solicitors.

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The Vendor is informed that the above property is situated about twelve miles from the Town of Macleod and one and a half miles from the nearest school; the nearest elevator is at Macleod. The soil is light clay with a clay and gravel subsoil. The buildings consist of a house, barn, well house, and two granaries. There is one well. The land is all fenced.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Messrs. Carson & Carson, Barristers & Solicitors, Calgary, Alberta.

Dated at Calgary, in the Province of Alberta, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1923.

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BOK PRIZE IS AWARDED TO COMPETITOR 1469

New York, Jan. 7.—The Edward W. Bok \$100,000 prize for the best practicable plan by which the United States may co-operate with other nations, looking toward the prevention of war, has been awarded to competitor No. 1469 by the jury of award of which Elihu Root was chairman. The author's name is not to be revealed until a referendum vote upon his plan is taken through the newspapers of the United States.

The plan in brief as proposed by the winner of the prize is as follows: I. That the United States shall immediately enter the Permanent Court of International Justice, under the conditions stated by Secretary Hughes and President Harding in February, 1923.

II. That without becoming a member of the League of Nations as at present constituted, the United States shall offer to extend its present co-operation with the League and participate in the work of the League as a body of mutual counsel under conditions which

1. Substitute moral force and public opinion for the military and economic force originally implied in Articles X and XI.

2. Safeguard the Monroe Doctrine.

3. Accept the fact that the United States will assume no obligations under the Treaty of Versailles except by Act of Congress.

4. Propose that membership in the League should be opened to all nations.

5. Provide for the continuing development of international law.

The contest brought forth 22,165 plans. Since many of them were the composite work of organizations, universities, etc., a single plan often represented the views of hundreds or thousands of individuals. There were also received several hundred thousand of letters which, while they did not submit plans, suggested in almost each instance a solution of the peace problem.

WHEAT POOL HAS HANDLED ABOUT 14,000,000 BUS.

Calgary, Jan. 4.—According to Chester M. Elliott, provincial manager of the Alberta Co-operative Wheat Producers, Limited, the wheat pool handled approximately 1,500 cars of wheat a week during the month of December. This was an increase of about 500 cars a week, as compared with the November business.

In other words, since the pool commenced business as a going concern on October 29, the pool has handled approximately 10,000 carloads of wheat. Taken on a basis of 1,400 bushels of wheat to the car, the pool has already received from its members approximately 14,000,000 bushels of wheat.

At the end of the first month's operations, Mr. Elliott estimated that the pool had not done more than 15 per cent. of the total business it would do during the present season. On that basis and taking into consideration that six million bushels of wheat had been handled up to that time, the pool will handle 40,000,000 bushels of the 1923 crop. There is yet nearly two-thirds of that amount to be delivered.

**CONFERENCE ON RESOURCES
FAILS; MON. GREENFIELD IS
COMING HOME**

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—There are no concrete results as an outcome of the present conference between the Dominion and Alberta and Manitoba. Premier Greenfield asked for the natural resources and a continuance of the subsidy for at least five years. The government would grant the resources and a small amount of cash as a lump sum or as a subsidy for a year or two only. He is returning to consult with his colleagues.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—(By Canadian Press).—Premier Bracken of Manitoba had a short conference with several questions affecting the inter-province of Manitoba were discussed. "I am here to discuss a number of questions with the prime minister," Premier Bracken said when asked about his visit to Ottawa. "I expect we will talk about natural resources and I will certainly urge continuance of the agricultural grant."

Manitoba, Premier Bracken acknowledged, was in a different position from Alberta as regards natural resources. In Alberta the natural resources of the province were practically intact, while in Manitoba there had been a considerable amount of exploitation. Manitoba wanted an accounting from the federal government with such compensation as justice demanded.

Premier Greenfield also had a brief talk with Premier King today morning. He had very little comment to offer afterwards.

"It is logical," he said, "that the western provinces should control their natural resources. For one thing, the administration by provinces would be much more efficient and economical than administration by a department thousands of miles distant."

Neither Premier Bracken nor Premier Greenfield will leave Ottawa before Saturday afternoon.

When he met Premier King today, it is understood that Premier Bracken asked the federal government to deal with two specific points in the natural resources controversy, namely, school lands and the school fund.

It was pointed out by the premier of Manitoba that there could be nothing contentious about these issues; that the rights of the province were obvious and that there was no apparent reason why the Dominion government could not settle this phase of the general question.

Macleod High School Highly Complimented In Inspector Smith's Report

The following paragraph from the report of J. A. Smith, Inspector of High Schools, speaks well for Macleod High School:—

"Your High School has developed into one of the best High Schools in the Province. I do not know of any school that has made a better record in the past Departmental Examinations."

I think you have this year better material in all classes, and I will be much disappointed if last year's record is not improved. There has been increased loyalty to the school on the part of the students due to their success. It was quite evident that they had confidence in the ability of their teachers to give them the best type of education."

EMPRESS THEATRE CURRENT ATTRACTIONS

LAUGHS APLENTY IN BIG
COMEDY; CAST FINE

"Ruggles of Red Gap" New James
Cruze Production Will Delight Fans

When James Cruze's admirable picturization of Harry Leon Wilson's novel, "Ruggles of Red Gap," featuring Edward Horton, Ernest Torrence, Lois Wilson, Fritz Ridgway, Charles Ogle and Louise Dresser, is shown for the first time here at the Empress Theatre next Monday and Tuesday, picture fans will see not only one of the most delightful comedies ever produced, but a cast of players of such merit as has seldom if ever been assembled for any picture production of the current season.

Edward Horton, popular stage and screen leading man, plays the title role of a valet, who is Americanized. He was chosen as Ruggles because he is the ideal type to handle the delicately shaded humor of the part to perfection.

Ernest Torrence, famous screen character player, who made an immense hit in "The Covered Wagon," was cast in the equally important role of Cousin Egbert, a rough and ready Westerner who hates the refinements of high society, while Lois Wilson plays Klondike Kate, the daughter of a saloonkeeper who has no social aspirations but, nevertheless, becomes the wife of an English Earl.

No man knows better than James Cruze the importance of a powerful cast. Consequently his selections of the other featured players—Fritz Ridgway, Charles Ogle and Louise Dresser—are a recognition of merit of the highest caliber.

Harry Leon Wilson's story, "Ruggles of Red Gap," attained its popularity because of its truly human comedy cloaking a theme of vital importance. It is this theme which is adapted by Walter Woods and Anthony Coldeveigh, has developed into a picture story absorbingly interesting, always amusing and withal powerfully human.

Other players in the big cast include William Austin, Lillian Leighton, Anna Lehr, Frank Elliot, Thomas Holding, Kalla Prash, Sidney Bracy, Milt Brown and Guy Oliver, all screen players of recognized ability.

'PEERLESS BANDIT OF SCREEN' AT BEST IN "LORNA DOONE"

The most famous "outlaw" of the silver sheet is a thoroughly respectable man who never has worn a black silk handkerchief and who even refuses to hold up street cars, due to his preference for the auto.

Frank Keenan, who plays "Sir Ensor Doone" in Maurice Tourneur's production of "Lorna Doone," is famous for his ability in portraying unusual and artistic types of "beyond-the-law" gentry.

Years ago when Keenan was a star of the legitimate stage, one of his most successful characters was that of a Mexican grandee who had turned bandit. This was the role of "Yosemite" in Charles Taylor's play of that name and his success was such that prominent critics hailed him a master of character roles.

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His best interpretation of such a role is in the Tourneur production. As "Sir Ensor Doone," the exiled nobleman who has turned bandit chief, Keenan proves his mastery of stage technique. When he comes riding over the sands in the prologue, he is as picturesque as a fine old Rembrandt and as terrifying as pitiless fate.

Especially fine is his last scene when, after he has been left for dead, he gathers all his remaining strength and goes to the rescue of "Lorna" whom he has learned to love as a daughter. As he enters the banquet hall where "John Ridd" is fighting desperately to rescue "Lorna" from a fate worse than death, the bandit slink away in terror believing that a ghost has appeared. The fine old man stands guarding the doorway as "John" and "Lorna" have escaped and then drops to the floor.

"Lorna Doone" will be shown at the Empress theatre on Wednesday and Thursday next with a Harold Lloyd Comedy.

REMEMBER WHEN YOU PLAYED AT BEING COWBOY?

Perhaps the greatest dream world today is the memory world of western cattlemen, the great open range country whose period in the history of America has afforded the richest romance and most distinctive appeal of any era in the building of the empire.

There is hardly a youngster in the land who does not occasionally dress up in the nearest thing that he can get to an impersonation of the life of a cowboy. If he can't get

anything nearer to a gun than a pipe case he'll stick that through his belt and imagine that he's "Two-gun Pete" from Arizona and a bad man.

"Don Quixote" of the Rio Grande, the Universal western photoplay starring Jack Hoxie, which comes to the Empress theatre next Friday and Saturday, portrays the West that is so loved by the American people, the great open country along the picturesque Rio Grande country.

The story is woven around the adventures of a romantic cowboy and a full of human interest appeal. It is a screen drama of the West's last stand. It was written as a magazine story by Stephen Chalmers and was adapted to the screen by George Hivly. The picture was directed by George E. Marshall.

In the supporting cast are Elinor Field, Emmett King, William Steele, Fred Jones and Bob McKenzie.

"LORNA DOONE" IS DECLARED TOURNEUR'S BIGGEST PICTURE

The greatest success of his career as a director-producer has been achieved by Maurice Tourneur in his picture version of R. D. Blackmore's world-famous novel, "Lorna Doone," which comes to the Empress theatre next Wednesday and Thursday.

Believing that the direction of motion pictures is as great an art as painting, decorating or sculpture, Tourneur, who has entered the field of motion picture production.

The result was instant recognition from producing competitors and acclaim from the fan world which realized that a "poet producer" had come to the fore. Since the showing of his first picture in 1914, Tourneur has filmed scores of big productions, each of which has been "bigger and better" than the preceding.

Born and educated in Paris, the director-producer has been in turn a designer and interior decorator, illustrator of books and magazines, creator of lace curtain and fabric designs, innovator of novel stage settings and master producer of film versions of classical books and plays. Probably no motion picture producer of the day has had a more varied experience or one more tended to fit him for the tremendous demands of the motion picture industry.

As a youth Tourneur had the privilege of studying under the great sculptor, Rodin. From sculpture he turned to painting and spent some time in the studios of the famous Puvion de Chavannes. His artistic talent was so marked that when De Chavannes was named to do the mural paintings on the walls of the Boston public library, it was Tourneur whom he chose to assist him in this work.

At the close of the war, Tourneur

COMING EVENTS FORESHADOWED

SCHOOL FAIR MEETING POSTPONED

The School fair meeting called for Saturday, January 19th, in the Town Hall, Macleod, for the purpose of forming a School Fair Society, has been postponed for one week, till Saturday, January 26th, on account of a political meeting being held on the 19th. Those interested in the School Fair, are urgently requested to keep this change of date in mind, and be present at this meeting to help along the good work for the boys and girls.

BOARD OF TRADE ANNUAL MEETING

The general annual meeting of Macleod and District Board of Trade will be held in the Town Hall, on Wednesday, January 16th, 1924 at 2:30 p.m. The Board of Trade has done excellent work for the town and district, and it is confidently expected that the annual meeting will evoke much general interest and will elicit a good attendance of those interested in this community's welfare.

ANNUAL MEETING MACLEOD LIBERAL ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of the Macleod Liberal Association will be held in the Town Hall on January the 19th at 3 o'clock—election of officers and other business.

ANNUAL MEETING WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The annual meeting of the Macleod Women's Institute will be held in the Odd Fellow's Hall, Tuesday, Jan. 15, 1924, at 3 o'clock.

FIRE BRIGADE BALL

Don't forget the Macleod Fire Brigade Ball to be held on Wednesday, January 16th. Keep this date open.

Hockey Club Card Party and Dance in L.O.O.F. Hall on January 11th Cards at 8:30.

decided to add still another experience to his list before he entered the field of work which he had chosen as one offering the greatest modern medium of artistic expression—that of motion picture producer. He would be an actor before he would be a director!

In 1914 he declared that he was ready for the "great adventure" of his life and sailed for America. His first productions were such tremendous successes that Tourneur has been an outstanding figure in the field of motion picture production ever since.

Tourneur at one time or another has broken practically every tradition of the field of work to which he is devoting his life. He has produced costume plays when "they said" that the public didn't want costume plays. He has introduced innovations at every turn of the game which "they said" couldn't possibly be successful but which nevertheless won immediate popular favor.

The greatest of all his triumphs, however, is the fact that he undertook the screen-production of classical books and plays when "they were" raising hands of shocked horror at the mere suggestion that there was any place in the public eye for productions which presumed to be artistic. His success in this field has been so marked that today he stands preeminent as a master of this art.

LORNA DOONE A MASTERPIECE

Heralded by critics throughout the country as Maurice Tourneur's "greatest masterpiece" and a "thrilling dramatic spectacle of unrivaled beauty," "Lorna Doone" will open at the Empress theatre on Wednesday and Thursday next.

Tourneur's fictionalization of Blackmore's famous novel has attracted world-wide attention and for once the critics have forgotten to complain that "the picture is nothing like the book." While the novel has been decidedly condensed in the film version, all the main dramatic episodes which have made the book a "best-seller" for three generations have been retained and the spirit of the times has been faithfully reproduced.

For the fan unfamiliar with the novel, "Lorna Doone" offers an evening of exciting entertainment for the love story works out to a triumphant ending only after tremendous conflicts in which life itself is the stake. A spectacular fight in which one man matches his wits against the strength of a whole band of outlaws and the burning of the "Doone" village after a bloody battle are "thrillers" that would satisfy anyone.

To the book lover, the student of English classics and the educator, the coming of "Lorna Doone" will be a rare treat. Tourneur has earned a reputation as an educator in the film industry and his screen versions of classical books and plays have been marked by such artistry that they have won permanent places in the film libraries of schools, churches and community houses.

93rd BATTERY BAND CONCERT A GREAT SUCCESS

The people of Macleod and district showed their appreciation of the efforts of the 93rd Battery Band, by packing the Town Hall last night to capacity, and then some, at an entertainment and concert given on behalf of the Band.

The large audience was fully repaid for their attendance by the splendid program of music, both vocal and instrumental that was offered. The program may have been a trifle on the long side, but the turns followed one another in good snappy manner and the listeners had no cause for grumbling regarding wearisome intervals, as there were none on the program, and Mayor Macdonald, in the capacity of Chairman, had every article on the "quiver" for his or her turn. Each and every turn was good, and the program was well arranged with a variety that could not help but please the most fastidious.

Without exception it was one of the most successful concerts held in Macleod.

A pleasing incident was the presenting of a new baton to Band Master Edgar at the close of the program by the Chairman.

The 93rd Band is one of the biggest assets Macleod will have in 1924. It's a band that any community can be proud of, and if the music discoursed Wednesday evening by this aggregation is a fair sample, then it is safe to say their popularity is assured.

Programme
1. Orchestra, Selection.
2. Song, Mr. J. K. Ridley.
3. Violin Solo, "Il Trovatore," Mrs. Jones.
4. Song, "Lucky Jim," Mr. J. Griffin.
5. Duet, Violin and Cello, Miss Griffin and Father Rouleau.
6. Song, "Burlington Bertie from Bow," Mr. W. Whitworth.
7. Duet, Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean, Messrs. Edgar and Angel.
8. Orchestra, Selection.
9. Chorus, "Call Herin," Mrs. Seymour's Pupils.
10. Duet, "A Scornful Jade," Miss Lewrick and Mr. Griffin.
11. Song, "On the Good Ship Hick Doodle," Mr. W. Whitworth.
12. Sketch, Messrs. Hart and Brooks.
13. Song, Mrs. Brewster.
14. Violin Solo, "Raff's Cavatina," Father Rouleau.
15. Song, Mr. J. K. Ridley.
16. Sketch, Mr. C. K. Underwood.
17. Selections, 93rd Battery Band. (God Save the King.)

C. G. I. T. "SELL A STAR" WEEK

The Canadian Girls in Training "Sell A Star" Week commences on February 2nd and continues to and including February 9th.

Judge A. M. McDonald Held District Court Sittings at Macleod

District Court sittings were held at Macleod on Tuesday, January 8th, Judge A. M. McDonald presiding.

Thibadeau vs. Smith—An action to recover board bill amounting to \$66.55. Action dismissed with costs; J. Hicks for plaintiff; J. D. Matheson for defendant.

Pouchen vs. Rowe—An action to recover land rent in the amount of \$500.00. Adjourned till next sittings of court on account of illness of defendant. McDonald & Co. for plaintiff; R. F. Barnes for defendant.

GAS COMPANY MUST SUPPLY GAS TO LETHBRIDGE AT OLD RATES FOR THE PRESENT

Calgary, Jan. 5.—After conclusion of argument by counsel in the application of the City of Lethbridge to the Public Utilities commission for an order continuing the service of gas by the company to the city at 35 cents per thousand feet, the rate named in the contract, A. M. McGillivray, K.C., counsel for the city of Lethbridge, applied for an interim order to compel the gas company to continue the service of gas to the city until the decision of the board, and that the company be not allowed to shut off the gas on January 8, of which the company had given notice of its intention to do.

Company Asks Higher Rate
H. P. O. Savary, K.C., for the gas company was content that the order be made, but insisted that it should be made upon the condition that the city pay an increased rate in the meantime, to be paid back to them if the gas company were unsuccessful.

Mr. McGillivray contended that, pending the decision, on charge should be made in the position of the parties, since the contract should stand until set aside by a competent tribunal, and consequently the gas company should be compelled to supply gas at the existing rates. He also argued that the board had no power to increase rates on an interim order.

Order Granted at Old Rate

The board decided to grant the interim order without any increase in rates.

Should the city succeed in its application there will be no increase in rates, unless the decision is set aside by some higher tribunal. If, on the other hand, the board finds that it has jurisdiction to increase rates there will be a further hearing to determine whether or not the rates shall be increased, when evidence may be called to show whether the present rate is too high or too low. It is expected that a decision on the application will be forthcoming in about 30 days.

VICE PRESIDENT'S RINK WON

In the curling competition played on New Year's day between the president's and vice-president's rinks the Marks rink won out as follows:

Vice President's Rink
Marks 12
Dr. Kennedy 7
J. O. Stewart 12
A. Dunn 9
M. Stewart 6
A. Young 9
J. W. McDonald 4

President's Rink:

R. W. Stewart 10
McNay 7
Alex McLeod 8
Winter 8
O. G. Stewart 9
R. W. Stewart 7
Dr. Kirk 4

FATHER MURDERS SON BY WHIPPING HIM TO DEATH

Calgary, Jan. 5.—Two hours after he had been beaten into unconsciousness by a horse whip in the hands of his father,

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good of the community on a par with their private affairs, never begrudging the time and effort called for by their membership in that organization. It has been a year of service and progress in which many got a new conception of civic and community duty. Only those who are closely connected with the board's work know of its varied activities. In many important affairs the Board of Trade has been busy. It could not have done all the useful work it has performed during the past eight months without the whole-hearted co-operation of its membership.

RED CROSS DRIVE FOR MEMBERSHIP

In view of the fact that within a few days the Women's Institute of Macleod and District will inaugurate a Red Cross Drive for membership, it is deemed timely to recapitulate as below some of the activities of the Red Cross Society in Alberta, as well as to suggest that the public's co-operation in the above mentioned drive should be enthusiastic in support of so worthy a cause:

Your Red Cross has in the past two years cared for 379 sick and crippled children whose parents could not provide for them the necessary medical and hospital treatment. This service has been rendered through the Junior Red Cross.

The Junior Red Cross Children's Hospital has been established and is operating in the City of Calgary to provide Hospital and Medical care for the sick children of Alberta whose parents cannot afford the same. This is the only Junior Red Cross Hospital in Canada.

The Hospital has operated for eighteen months and in that time has treated 100 crippled and sick children. In Rural Districts where the Government has been unable to establish nursing service, the Red Cross is operating small Rural Hospitals. One of these in the far North is over 100 miles from a Railway. Without the Red Cross there would be no provision for caring for the sick in these districts. Since the Red Cross opened its first Hospital in Alberta three years ago 2,011 patients have been cared for.

The Red Cross has also maintained District Nurses in several other communities for removed from Hospital or Nursing Service.

The Red Cross maintains in Alberta an Efficient Emergency Service prepared to function at all times in case of accident, epidemic, disaster or distress. Emergency supplies are kept on hand at Provincial Headquarters and can be rushed to any part of the Province when required. The Red Cross has investigated

and assisted 5,500 cases of soldiers and their dependents temporarily distressed and unable to secure relief from other sources. 23,302 persons have been relieved.

Has kept in touch with all soldiers in hospitals throughout Alberta. 23,780 visits to soldiers in Hospital have been paid by Red Cross visitors, and supplies and comforts issued to the amount of \$15,298.98.

Maintained a Rest Home for soldiers and their dependents returning from overseas, and with the assistance of the Government operated a home for soldiers' children where 280 children have been cared for and educated.

Built and equipped a Recreation Hut for soldiers at the Strathcona Hospital, Edmonton.

The Red Cross Immigration Service keeps in touch with families of immigrants arriving in Alberta, arranging for medical and nursing care in case of sickness. 268 families have been visited during the past year.

In helping the Red Cross you will help:

- (1) The crippled children of Alberta.
- (2) The wives and children of the Pioneer.
- (3) The man who served on your behalf overseas.
- (4) The sufferer from accident or disaster.
- (5) The maintenance of a health service which is reducing disease and sickness increases by a hundred per cent. the efficiency, happiness, and earning capacity of our citizens.
- (6) The stricken Japanese.

Funds collected in the Red Cross Campaign will be apportioned to the various Red Cross services as follows:

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- For the children Junior Red Cross—21%.
- Educational Work—18%.
- Relief—Emergency and Repatriation—13%.
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WOULD ABOLISH CENTRAL OFFICE U. F. A. AS A MOVE FOR ECONOMY

Edmonton, Jan. 7.—H. W. Wood, president of the United Farmers of Alberta may be a king without a country after the annual gathering of the organized farmers here this month, if plans of a certain section of the U. F. A. are endorsed by the convention.

According to one of the directors of the U. F. A. an effort is to be made to abolish the central offices of the organization, now located at Calgary, and divide the province into four or five districts under district executives for administration purposes.

Too much duplication of effort in the local and farmers political organizations and the central offices is said to be the reason behind this attack that will be made on the present organization of the U. F. A.

CRERAR FOR CABINET?

Winnipeg, Jan. 7.—The Winnipeg Tribune publishes the following today in its news columns:
"Premier King is prepared to take Hon. T. A. Crerar into his cabinet. This important political development, already forecast in Ottawa circles, was confirmed today when directors of the United Grain Growers met to consider the advisability of releasing Mr. Crerar for political duty. While it was declared to be an ordinary meeting called for routine business, it is known that the big item on the program was discussion of the situation arising from the retirement of Sir Lomer Gouin and Mr. King's desire to take Mr. Crerar into the cabinet."

"It is pointed out that if the present situation had existed at Ottawa when the Liberal cabinet was first formed, Mr. Crerar would have been included in the slate. Only the presence and influence of Sir Lomer Gouin and Hon. W. S. Fielding prevented the entry of Mr. Crerar and Hon. A. B. Hudson at that time."

Several directors of the United Grain Growers Limited, seen at the conclusion of this morning's session denied that the matter of Mr. Crerar entering the King cabinet was discussed or that he had sought "leave of absence" from the company.

Hon. T. A. Crerar had nothing to say regarding the Tribune report.

Flood of Rumors

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—Today's meeting of the cabinet council should clear away some of the prevailing uncertainties in the political situation. Not since the days which immediately preceded the swearing-in of the present government has there been such a flood of rumors as has followed the resignation of Sir Lomer Gouin, as minister of justice. Relations between Liberals and Progressives have been the main point at issue.

There seems to be little doubt, as has previously been indicated, that Sir Lomer Gouin will be succeeded at the department of justice by Ernest Lapointe, now minister of marine.

ATTEMPT MADE ON MUSTAPHA KEMAL'S LIFE

Athens, Jan. 7.—The Mitylene correspondent of the Greek newspaper Eleftheron Vemas telegraphs that an unsuccessful attempt was made to assassinate Mustapha Kemal Pasha, president of the republic of Turkey at Smyrna. The hand grenade intended for Kemal injured his wife.

Mustapha Kemal Pasha, who on October 29 became the first president of the new republic of Turkey, is the man to whom Turkey owes her present position in the Near East. Prominent early in the great war in the Young Turk movement, Kemal became a military leader of fame.

After the war he organized the now famous nationalist army whose activities led to the proclamation of a "holy war" against him and the dispatch of the Greek army into Turkey. After the defeat of the Greeks, Kemal established the government at Ankara and was made president of the national assembly which in November 1922, decreed the abolition of the sultanate. Kemal's election to the presidency of the republic followed not long after Turkey's remarkable diplomatic successes at the Lausanne conference. He has recently been reported as suffering from heart disease.

His wife, whom he married a year ago, is the daughter of a Turkish merchant of Smyrna.

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NATIONAL PARKS ARE GAME SANCTUARIES



THE National Parks of Canada are a haven for wild life; where guns and hunting dogs are forbidden and where the animals have come to look upon man as their friend rather than as their destroyer. As a result wild animals are increasing in the national parks of Canada and the graceful deer, the lovely bison and the always interesting bear live at peace in their natural habitat without molestation.

At Jasper National Park in Alberta, which is 4,400 square miles in extent and the largest of Canada's national parks, bears, deer, moose, mountain sheep and goats abound, and the visitor finds also great numbers of smaller animals such as beaver, squirrel and others which are becoming quite tame since they realize that they are protected.

At Wainwright, on the main line of the Canadian National Railways, east of Edmonton, there exists one of the finest demonstrations of the feasibility of game conservation, for there, in the buffalo park are some 2,000 animals, the growth from a herd of 716 which was purchased some sixteen years ago by the Canadian Government and allowed to multiply in peace. So great has been the development of the herd that this fall 2,000 of the surplus animals had to be slaughtered and in the spring another 2,000 young buffalo are to be moved into the northern hinterland and allowed to roam at will there under conditions where they also will be safe from ruthless hunters.

In addition to buffalo, the government has at Wainwright large numbers of elk and yak, which are fast becoming unknown animals except to the adventurous hunter who was prepared to go miles beyond the limits of civilization, and these animals also are multiplying in the conditions under which they are being kept.

Visitors to Jasper Park at the present time find cinnamon, brown and black bears very numerous; if they go far enough afield they may reach the haunts of the grizzly, still within the park limits. Their may be found browsing within a stone's throw of Jasper Park Lodge, the bungalow camp hotel operated by the Canadian National Railways and caribou are reported to be becoming more plentiful year by year. The "bighorn" mountain sheep grazes peacefully along

the lower slopes of the great mountains which rise on every side, while the more timorous mountain goat may be seen on the higher slopes, making his way over precarious footing and seeming to challenge the camera enthusiast to climb up and include his picture in the collection.

By means of the sanctuaries which have been given to various animals, the younger Canadians growing up today can now and in the future see for themselves, specimens of various big game animals which a few years ago were threatened with destruction. And since Canada was almost the last native haunt of many of these, such as the buffalo, the educational value alone of the sanctuaries is great. The experiments already made have shown that such animals as the buffalo can readily be propagated in captivity and in their case also, the revenue derived by the government from the sale of buffalo meats, hides and heads from the animals which it has become necessary to kill, will, it is estimated, go a long way towards paying for the cost of the experiment and the upkeep of the National Parks.

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PROV. NEWS**New Road Program**

The Department of Public Works
have prepared an extensive road
program which will take at least five
years to complete. The program
arranged will make provision for the
improvement and development of the
market road system as well as the
highway system. Substantially in-
creased provincial grants will be giv-
en to Municipal Districts for the
purpose of improving their market
roads and the District Engineers will
be relieved of some of their present
duties in order that they may devote
more time to advising Municipal
Councils on road building. The need
for improving the market road
system in the Province is urgent in
order to provide better facilities for
marketing farm produce, but un-
fortunately, this work has been de-
layed owing to the financial condition
in which the present Government
found the Province on assuming
office. The Main Highway System
will be improved concurrently with
the Market Road System and will be

financed by capitalising a portion
of the revenue from auto licenses for
a period of 15 years. Bonds will be
sold for \$4 million dollars and that
amount will be spent on the Highway
System over the five year period.
Each year for 15 years an amount
from the auto license revenues will
be set aside to pay the interest on
the bonds and create a sinking fund
which will provide for the maturing
bonds. At the expiry of fifteen
years the provincial debt will not be
increased as a result of the program
now arranged. The Main Highway
System will be brought up to a
standard to be approved of by the
Federal Highway Commission and
will earn the Federal Aid Grant of
1 1/2 million which will leave about 2
million dollars of an actual expendi-
ture by the Province. The Province
will apply for an extension of time on
the Federal Aid Grant on the grounds
that many of the roads which will be
improved with this expenditure will
be arteries feeding the National
Parks, and improved roads will bring
more revenue to the Parks Branch of
the Federal Government. A great
deal of the preliminary work incident
to proper road construction has
been done during the last two years
with the result that engineering
principles will be applied, through-
out the entire program. Gravel will
be used in localities where deposits
are suitably located.

Alberta To Be Represented.

Alberta will find a prominent
place this year, with an exhibit at
the annual exposition of western
Canadian farm products held by the
T. Eaton Company at their store at
Winnipeg, February 7 to 16. Hon.
Geo. Hoadley, minister of agriculture,
announces that arrangements have
been made to place at this exposition,
the exhibit of seed grains that won
such commendation at the interna-
tional hay and grain show last month.
This exhibit was put up jointly by the
department of agriculture and uni-
versity, and depicted the various
branches of the organization which
has been perfected in Alberta as in
no other province to breed, distribute
and market purebred seed grain. The
exhibit is also embellished with
specially selected sheaf grains and
grasses, and enlarged views of var-
ious scenes in the province. A dupli-
cate of this exhibit is also to be
taken to the British Empire Expon-
sition in London this spring, by the
dominion government seed branch at
Ottawa.

The province will also be rep-
resented at the Eaton exposition by two
demonstration teams, one of girls in
domestic science from the school of
agriculture at Olds, and the other of
boys in agriculture from the school of
agriculture at Claresholm. These
teams will enter the Eaton demon-
stration contest. The teams will have
three members each.

Dairy Progress

The dairy industry of Alberta is
making steady progress. The dairy
factories manufacture into cheese and
butter the surplus milk and cream
produced by 40,000 farmers in an
annually increasing volume.

There are 74 creameries in op-
eration this year and it is estimated
that they will have a combined out-
put of 18,000,000 pounds of butter as
compared with 15,417,070 pounds
manufactured by the 54 creameries
operating last year; 68 per cent. of
this butter was made north and 32
per cent. south of Red Deer.

The 14 cheese factories that are
now running will, it is estimated,
produce 1,500,000 pounds of cheese as
compared with the 931,992 pounds
turned out by a similar number of
plants last year. This will mean an
increase of over 50 per cent in the
cheese output.

Tax Collections

Half a million dollars ahead of the
best previous year will be the new
record of tax collections through the
department of municipal affairs for
the year 1923, according to the
provincial treasurer. When business
was stopped Monday night, at the
end of the calendar year, the total
collections stood at \$3,710,000, which
is about a million dollars better than
1922 and exactly \$639,830 better than
1920, the record year heretofore.

Imperial Oil Co. Refinery

With a capacity of 4,000 barrels
per day, the new oil refinery of the
Imperial Oil Company has commenc-
ed operations. The refinery is well
supplied with crude oil from the
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tanks being filled in readiness for
operation.

Seek Settlers For Irrigated Lands

Two special commissioners of the
irrigation branch of the provincial
government, Messrs. James Colley,
and Edward Blettler, a Swiss colon-
ization agent, have left Lethbridge
for the old country, where they will
engage in three months' campaign to
secure settlers for the irrigated lands
of the Lethbridge Northern Irriga-
tion district. Mr. Emil Hann is also
accompanying the agents, as a mem-
ber of the trustee board of the irri-
gation district. The three men will
work in England and European
countries.

Further Tests of Tar Sands

The provincial government is plan-
ning to make further tests of the use
of the McMurray tar sands for road
purposes, and will install a separation
plant at the E. D. and B. C. yards in
the city. Dr. K. A. Clarke of the
industrial and research council is
also planning an entire survey of the
tar sand fields.

Survey New Line

Surveyors for the C. P. R. are now
in the field running final lines for
the new branch to operate from Kipp,
near Lethbridge to the Retlaw line.
This branch will traverse the Leth-
bridge northern irrigation district
and will be built the coming year.

Coal a National Question

Calling upon the Canadian parlia-
ment to take action at the coming
session and make the question of
coal supply a national problem, the
council of the Edmonton board of
trade passed an important resolution
at its Wednesday meeting. Parlia-
ment is asked to consider the advis-
ability of establishing rates on the
Canadian National railway which will
enable Alberta coal to compete on the
Ontario and Quebec markets with the
Pennsylvania product.

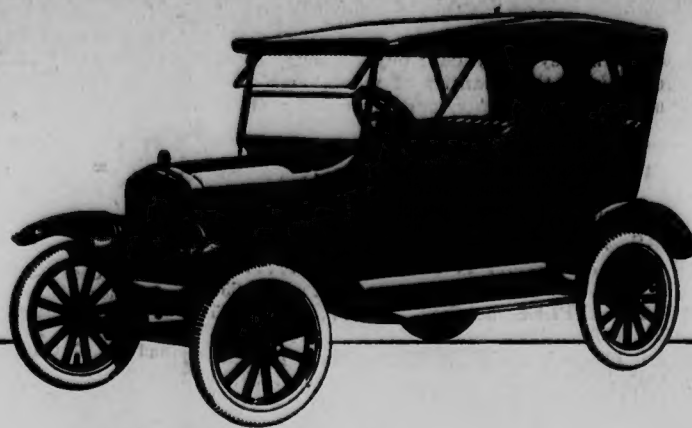
Commissioner to Empire Exhibition

Hon. Geo. Hoadley, minister of
as honorary commissioner from this
province to the British Empire Ex-
position in London, this year. Mr.
Hoadley has been appointed to act in
this capacity following a request
from the federal government, which
has been made to all provinces that
an honorary commissioner be named
to attend the exhibition.

Entertain World Winners

The town of Stettler, Alberta, gave
a citizens' banquet on Friday night
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

H. V. Clarke was a business visitor to High River on Monday last.

Miss Nesbitt, of Granum, spent the week-end in Macleod visiting friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Grier (at Calgary Hospital) on Monday Dec. 24th, 1923—a daughter.

Misses Muriel and Betty Allan, of Calgary, were the guests of Mrs. John E. Johnston over the holidays.

Mrs. T. Clarke, of Rathwell, left on Monday, for Lethbridge, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. J. Roberts.

Jas. Ringland, of Coleman, spent the week-end in Macleod with his family, returning to Coleman on Monday noon.

The weekly meeting of the 1st Macleod Troop B. P. Scouts was held at headquarters (U. P. A. Store) on Tuesday, January 8th, and the following passed their Tenderfoot Tests: P. L. J. Lambert and Scout W. Thiel. Boys of twelve years and over who wish to join may do so by applying

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R. F. Barnes, barrister, of Coleman, was a business visitor in Macleod on Tuesday of this week.

H. W. Bright left for Calgary on Tuesday morning on a business trip of a few days duration.

Miss Olive Young spent New Year's holidays visiting friends at Lethbridge, Calgary and Crossfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kendall and son Jackie, of Lethbridge, spent Christmas holidays with Mrs. Kendall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Clarke.

Miss Ada Benson left on Tuesday morning for Edmonton where she has secured a position as stenographer in the Attorney-General's department.

Mrs. H. Dowson spent New Year's in Calgary and attended the wedding of Miss Margaret Simmons, formerly of Macleod and Mr. Fred Gilbraith, of Calgary.

On Tuesday, January 1st, James Ringland (of Macleod) who has the misfortune to fall over a curling stone during a competition, breaking two ribs. Mr. Ringland is recovering nicely from his painful accident.

O. S. Martin, of Hardisty, Grand Patriarch of the Grand Encampment of Alberta, will pay his official visit to Macleod Encampment No. 16, I. O. O. F. Monday, January 14th, 1924. The installation of officers will be held the same evening. After the regular meeting of the Camp a reception will be given in honor of the Grand Patriarch, to which the mem-

bers of Mountain View Lodge No. 4

Don't forget the Hockey Club Card Party and Dance in the I. O. O. F. Hall on Friday night. Cards at 8:30 sharp. Three Piece Orchestra, Good Lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Beecroft, of Fort William are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Purcell, for a few weeks. Mrs. Beecroft is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beecroft.

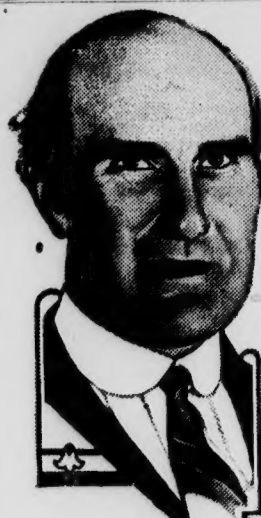
Mrs. George Eckmire and children, of Orion, Alberta, have returned home after spending two months visiting Mrs. Eckmire's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Clarke.

The Hon. J. R. Boyle and Hon. Charles Mitchell will address a meeting of the electors of Macleod Constituency in the Town Hall, Macleod, on the evening of Thursday, January 17th, at 8 p.m. A record-breaking gathering is expected to greet these exponents of provincial Liberalism.

Married—Wednesday, Jan. 9th at the R. C. Church, Macleod, Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Connolly, formerly of Macleod to Finton T., son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Donahue, Macleod. Bridesmaids: Leo Noel supported the groom. The ceremony was performed by Father Rouleau, and afterward the party sat down to a sumptuous wedding breakfast served by Mrs. Norman Grier, at the Grier residence north of town. The bride was the recipient of a number of lovely presents. The newly wedded couple will reside in Macleod.

The installation of officers of Bekah Chapter No. 7, R. A. Masons was held Tuesday evening. Rev. S. A. Middleton assisted by Mr. J. S. Lambert installed the following officers: R. W. Russell, Z; J. Arthur, I.P.Z.; C. A. Arthur, H; W. A. Gorden, J; C. W. E. Gardiner, S.E.; D. L. Muri-son, S.N.; W. Stevens, P.S.; W. Bowden, S.S.; W. D. Chalmers, J.S.; F. Thewlis, Jan. After the regular meeting a reception was given to which all Masons were invited. Interesting speeches were made by Rev. Merrick, Rev. Middleton, Messrs. D. Morrison, J. S. Lambert, J. Matheson, H. H. Verge, W. G. Brooks-Avey, R. D. McNay and others.

In view of the fact that Thomas Edward Patteson was born in Macleod and lived here for many years the following marriage notice from the Calgary Herald will be read with much local interest: A pretty wedding was solemnized on New Year's Day by Rev. Dean Paget, when Maud Lillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. von Hliffaud, Fort Saskatchewan, became the bride of Mr. Thomas



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OBITUARY

DEATH OF MRS. MARY ELLEN EVANS.

At an early hour Monday morning, January 7th, at the Macleod hospital, the death occurred of Mrs. J. H. Evans, aged 35 years. The late Mrs. Evans, who resided in Ewelme, a few miles south of Macleod, had been sick for some considerable time, although her sudden demise came as a great shock to her family. She is survived by her husband, Mr. J. H. Evans, of Ewelme. The deceased was well known and respected in Macleod and district, having lived here practically all her life. Her husband is a prominent farmer, also reeve of the Municipal District of Bright, No. 69. Deceased was a daughter of Mrs. E. Davis, of Macleod, Alberta, and is mourned by her husband, J. H. Evans, her mother, Mrs. E. Davis, of Macleod, and six brothers—William, Frederick, Joseph, Edward and John Davis, of Macleod; and Robert, of Burton-on-Trent, Derbyshire, Eng.

The Funeral

The funeral occurred on Tuesday, January 8th, at 2 o'clock p. m. Services for the dead were conducted by Rev. W. J. Merrick, Christ Church, Macleod. In the funeral procession many sorrowing friends followed the remains to the Union Cemetery, where the last and rites were observed and interment took place.

The pall bearers were: Mr. G. Northey, Mr. T. Shield, Mr. E. Bodgener, Mr. W. Davis, Mr. A. Saunders and Mr. R. Darling.

Floral Tributes

Husband and Mabel, Heart; mother and brother, Cross; Joe and Evelyn, Anchor; and wreaths from: Mr. and Mrs. W. Davis (junior), Allanfields; Mr. and Mrs. J. Davis, Blairmore; Mr. and Mrs. Smith and family, Champion; Mr. and Mrs. A. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Reach, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Young, Mrs. T. Kennedy and Mrs. G. Beattie all of Macleod; Mr. and Mrs. G. Northey, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McGowan, McBride Lake; also jointly a wreath from a number of other McBride Lake friends; likewise one from Ardenville friends and also one from the Council of The Municipal District of Bright, besides two wreaths bearing no names of donors.

DEATH OF MRS. GERRARD CRANE

On Sunday evening last at the Macleod hospital the death took place of Mrs. Gerrard Crane, formerly of Cochrane, and latterly of the Blood Indian Boarding School. The deceased woman, who was 38 years of age, had only been brought in from the Mission Sunday afternoon suffering with a very bad cough, a physician was at once summoned and rendered medical attention, but in spite of all that could be done the unfortunate lady passed away about 45 minutes after entering the hospital.

The cause of death was given as overstrain of the heart brought on and accentuated by severe coughing. The late Mrs. Crane had been engaged on the Indian Reserve for about two months, coming from Cochrane where she had resided with her husband on the ranch. She was formerly of Bideford, England, having lived in Canada for seven years. She is survived by her husband, Gerrard Crane, of Cochrane, and two daughters, Vivian, aged 14 years, and Sheila, aged 10 years, who are at present residing in Macleod. The deceased was related to Sir F. W. Haultain and Mr. and Mrs. E. Haultain of Regina, Sask., her only other relatives in Canada.



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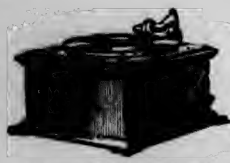
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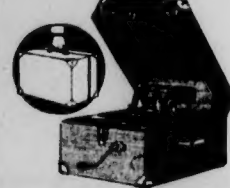
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4 cups flour
1 teaspoon salt
6 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder
2 to 4 tablespoons shortening
1½ cups milk

Sift flour, salt and baking powder together. Add melted shortening to milk and add slowly to dry ingredients stirring until smooth. Knead lightly on floured board and roll out ½ inch thick. Cut with biscuit cutter. Crease each circle with back of knife one side of center. Butter the small section and fold larger part well over the small. Place one inch apart in greased pan. Allow to stand 15 minutes in warm place. Brush each with melted butter and bake in moderate oven 15 to 20 minutes.